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PRESIDENT

Senator Jacob K. Javits
110 East 45th Street
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Dear Jack:

I was indeed so delighted to see that you did manage to make it to my installation and I am doubly gratified now at your initiative in arranging to put these remarks in the Record. I trust there would be no inconvenience in holding them up for a few weeks since the Senate has recessed and this will give me a decent opportunity just to touch up some of the extemporaneous part of my remarks so that they make sense in print. The minor indisposition of my shoulder, that was evidenced by a sling, turns out to be a torn tendon and that will take me just about that length of time for a convalescence after the more or less minor surgery that was involved.

I really am very pleased to be able to reconnect with you in just this way on my return to New York; and I hope that any way that I can be of assistance to you you will not hesitate to tell me.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg

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